

THE GOVERNOR WON

The Columbian Athletic Club Put Out.

A Postponement of the Griffin-Lavigne Contest.

A Receiver Appointed to Take Charge of Affairs.

Ormond, the \$50,000 Stallion, at San Francisco—Two Ball Games Played at Several Cities—Pascals Chips Fifteen Seconds from a Record.

By Telegram to The Times.

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) President O'Malley, at 7 o'clock this evening, gave the following to the press: "Judge Gillette has enjoyed the Columbian Athletic Club; Gov. Matthews has camped his troops within sight of Roby, and our attorneys have advised for the present a course of masterly inactivity. Under such stress of circumstances there is but one thing to do—to order the postponement of the contest advertised for tonight. The right of the club under the statutes of 1892 to give scientific glove contests has been questioned, and the intervention of the courts has been sought, with a view to have these contests declared unlawful. We are anxious to meet the issue in this form, and rest cheerful and confident of ultimate success. The Columbian Athletic Club has come to stay; its operations are strictly within the letter of the law, and the courts will so hold."

THE ROBY AFFAIR.

A Receiver Appointed for the Columbian Athletic Club.

CROWN POINT (Ind.) Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) On the application of Judge Gillette, of the Lake County Court, appointed Deputy Sheriff Hayes as receiver today of the Columbian Athletic Club, at Roby, and authorized him to prevent any prize fights or boxing, or any transfer of property. The State militia is being sent there to support him.

KNOCKED OUT.

The Club's Main Entrance Faced by a Gate.

ROBY (Ind.) Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) There are 700 soldiers encamped around the Columbian Clubhouse tonight and a galling gun is looking straight down the main entrance. The troops arrived early this evening, and by the time the first fight was scheduled to have been called the core of the house was under guard. President O'Malley said tonight that this probably knocks out Roby's chances for the Corbett-Mitchell fight, and that New Orleans is likely to get it.

DIRECTUM.

California Presents a Worthy Successor to Stamboul.

FLEETWOOD, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) Directum, the "black whirlwind" from California, broke the world's stallion record today, and went ahead of all marks given to five-year-old trotters. One-half of his mile was the fastest ever trotted by any horse on any track. He was entered to start against the world's stallion record of 2:07 1/2, made on the Kite-track by Stamboul, the record of 2:06 1/4, made last Thursday by Nancy Hanks, and the world's record of 2:04, made by the same mare. If he broke the track record he was to get a purse of \$5000.

When he started away Directum was followed by a running horse. The black stallion fairly flew to the quarter in 0:30 1/2. The journey to the half was all down hill, though it had one turn. It was passed in 1:00 1/4. Then Kelly edged the stallion with all his skill. He passed the three-quarters in 1:32, and as he did so his running mate was moved up another peg.

Turning into the stretch Kelly began slapping the record-breaker with the reins. The horse was pretty well winded, but continued on his journey at a fast and even pace. Thirty yards from the wire, however, he appeared to be all through and, despite Kelly's alaps, tired as the watches clicked on the mile.

There was another record broken today. The black gelding stepped five miles in 12:45. This cuts fifteen seconds off the best previous record, which was held by Lady Mac, whose mark was 13:00 when she ran the track in California, as far back as 1874.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Two Games at New York—Chicago Wins from Baltimore.

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) The Orioles knocked Hughey out of the line, but lost the game by poor fielding. Chicago, 13; Baltimore, 10.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Two games were played. The Giants went to pieces in the morning game, but won the afternoon game. New York, 4; Louisville, 8.

BOSTON, Sept. 4.—The Champions won by hard batting. Boston, 14; St. Louis, 4.

A \$10,000 Horse.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4.—The English stallion Ormond, which was purchased by William McDonough for \$10,000, arrived at his California home tonight.

When Will It End?

SYRACUSE, Sept. 4.—At the bicycle meet of the Syracuse Athletic Club today, William Van Wageningen of this city rode a mile against time with hands off, and made the mile in 2:29 3/5, establishing the world's record.

OFFICIAL COURTESIES.

The Chinese and German Representatives Meet the President.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) The newly appointed Chinese Minister to the United States, Tzu Kwo-Yin, was formally presented to President Cleveland this afternoon. In his speech to the President the Minister said that it would be his constant aim to maintain and strengthen the amicable relations which exist between China and the United States, and offered his best wishes for the success of this government, and the prosperity of its people.

The Ambassador from Germany to the United States, Baron de Saurma-Jelach, was also formally presented to the President by Secretary Gresham. The Minister made a brief speech, in which he referred to the mutual relations existing between the United States and Germany, which, he said, he hoped to strengthen and extend.

The President replied in a like vein.

THEY STRUCK.

The Louisville and Nashville Employees at Evansville Quit Work.

EVANSVILLE (Ind.) Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) The entire train force of the Louisville and Nashville road here has gone on a strike against the proposed 10 per cent. reduction. The strikers are ugly, and trouble is expected.

STABBING AFFRAY.

Two Finlanders Killed and One Fatally Injured.

CALUMET (Mich.) Sept. 4.—Two Finlanders were killed and one fatally stabbed in an affray near Osceola. Four men were arrested.

A Marylander Dead.

LONDON, Sept. 4.—Frederick de Courcy May, of Maryland, died on Friday, at Ryde, a watering place on the Isle of Wight.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Frederick de Courcy May, whose death is reported from London, is not the well-known man about town who has frequently been heard of through his adventures, but is his cousin.

THE CATHOLICS.

Yesterday's Proceedings in the Convention.

A Scene of Life and Color—Delegates Cautioned Against Individualism—A Number of Notable Speakers.

By Telegram to The Times.

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) The Hall of Columbus, in the Memorial Art Palace, was crowded today at the initial session of the great Catholic Congress. Interest was at its height in expectation of sensational developments regarding the public school question, and an exposition of Legate Satolli's mission. The hall was decorated with the papal colors, yellow and white mingled with the Stars and Stripes. Bronze busts of Cardinals Newman and Manning were either side of the platform. The suppressed excitement was particularly noticeable when, in the preliminary addresses, Archbishop Feshan, a warm personal friend of Archbishop Corrigan, first gave warning against the utterance of any word to wound Catholic conscience, and second, when Cardinal Gibbons, a particular friend of Archbishop Ireland, exhorted the delegates to avoid personalities.

It was a brilliant scene when Cardinal Gibbons, attired in his scarlet robe, entered, followed by Archbishop Feshan of Philadelphia, and Ryan of Philadelphia, in full purple. Archbishop Ireland appeared in plain civilian dress. After addresses of welcome by Archbishop Feshan, President Bonner of the World's Congress Auxiliary, and Hon. Thomas B. Bryan, representing the exposition, Cardinal Gibbons made the opening address. He said that he also read a message from the Pope, bestowing a blessing on the congress, praying God to assist its deliberations, and concluding with a communication from the Pope's Legate, Legate Satolli, regretting his inability to be present at the opening day.

Judge Morgan, of New York, was chosen temporary chairman. Edgar H. Gaus of Baltimore delivered an address on "The Relations of the Catholic Church to the Social, Civil and Political Institutions of the United States." Other addresses were made by Father Elliott of the Paulist order; Judge Morris of Philadelphia; Richard H. Clark of New York; Mary Johnson of Chicago, and George Parsons Lathrop.

Lathrop, whose recent conversion, as well as that of his wife, from Protestantism to Catholicism, created much interest, contributed the able paper on the Discovery of the New World. Lathrop is the son-in-law of Nathaniel Hawthorne.

Tonight a large meeting was held, at which addresses were made by distinguished delegates to the congress, lay and clerical.

THE EXPOSITION.

The Empire State Celebrates—No Funds for the Duke.

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) This was New York day and thousands of the sons of the Empire State honored the occasion by their presence. The beautiful State building was lavishly decorated with plants and flowers. The exercises were held at the building. Addresses were made by Hon. Chauncey M. Depew, Democratic Governor of New York, and Hon. John T. Hoffman, Republican Governor of New York. There was a grand display of fireworks tonight.

Evidence in the case of J. J. Higbee, charged with offering to send awards, is expected to be presented. The committee will report unfavorably. Higbee declares he will fight the report.

President Palmer presided at the session of the National Commission today for the first time in many weeks. When asked about the progress of the fund for the Duke of Varagua he said that he was not in a position to say anything, and that he was not in a position to say anything.

There was nothing to be done today to help the Duke.

OFFICERS CHOSEN.

The Sunday-school Convention Elects B. F. Jacobs President.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) The World's Convention of Sunday-school Workers assembled this morning. President Belsey of London, England, presided and delivered the annual address, approving of the work of the field superintendents, and urging the co-operation of America with England in the missionary work in Eastern Europe. Reports were presented of work in England, Germany and Sweden.

B. F. Jacobs of Illinois was elected president. Among the other nominees are: Vice-president, F. F. Selvey of London; recording secretary, Marlon Lawrence of Ohio; enrolling secretary, A. E. Gilchrist of Pennsylvania; statistical secretary, E. Payson of Porter, N. Y. Greetings were cable to the Sunday-school conventions in session today in Glasgow and Hamburg.

At the afternoon session many addresses were heard on the work of the organization.

Affected by Rheumatism.

BERLIN, Sept. 4.—The Frankfurter Zeitung, referring to Prince Bismarck's rheumatism, says that the Prince's condition is worse than he himself believes.

Viceroy of India.

LONDON, Sept. 4.—Sir Henry Norman, the present Governor of Queensland, has been appointed Viceroy of India, to succeed Lord Lansdowne, in December.

Out of Work.

DENVER, Sept. 4.—H. Smythe, son of Recorder Smythe, of New York, committed suicide on Saturday. The remains were identified today. He was penniless and out of work.

Smallpox in New York.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Six cases of smallpox were discovered in a Madison-street tenement this morning.

STATE FAIR OPENS.

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A Large Attendance for the First Night.

A Gorgeous Spectacle of Fruits and Flowers.

The Exhibits Surpass Those of Former Years.

A Discharged Steamship Purser Issues Fraudulent Checks—Two Seamen Injured by Broken Chains—Two Bankers Arrested.

By Telegram to The Times.

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) The State Fair opened tonight with a surprisingly large attendance for the first night. At the pavilion the exhibits are not quite in place, but will be by Tuesday night.

The great building presents a gorgeous appearance, and visitors pronounce the exhibition in many respects superior to that of former years.

ISSUING CHECKS.

A Discharged Employee of a Steamship Company Heard From.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) Five or six years ago E. Edwards, a purser in the employ of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, was discharged. Nothing was heard from him until a few days ago, when the mail brought drafts drawn by Edwards on the steamship company. One came from Providence, R. I., two more from Montreal, and the steamship company is wondering when they are going to stop coming. Edwards no longer has any connection with the company, and people are warned against honoring his drafts.

A PECULIAR ACCIDENT.

Two Seamen Injured by the Breaking of a Mooring Chain.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) A heavy iron chain by which the ship Spartan was moored to the wharf this morning parted, and the flying end struck Peter Muller and John Lynch, seamen, knocking them overboard into the water. Muller's chest was crushed in, and he will die. Lynch's leg was broken.

When the two men were knocked overboard, Superintendent Brazell of the Black Diamond Coal Company, who was on the wharf, saw the accident, and both up until a boat came to the rescue.

YOUNG MEN'S INSTITUTE.

The Ninth Grand Council in Convention at Marysville.

MARYSVILLE, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) The ninth grand council of the Young Men's Institute convened here today. Organization was effected and the reports of several grand officers were received. The cities which are making efforts to secure the next convention of the order are the United States, Los Angeles, Eureka and Santa Barbara.

BAD JOBS.

A Couple of Them Arrested in Their Progress.

CORVALLIS (Or.) Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) Stephen and B. R. Job of the private bank of Hamilton, Job & Co., which suspended last June, were arrested for having failed to pay on demand the county funds to the amount of \$11,000 on deposit with the bank suspended. Both were released on \$4000 cash bail.

ANOTHER APPOINTEE.

A New Rumor as to Justice Blatchford's Successor.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) An evening paper says: "It is announced today, apparently upon authority, that, before the week is out, President Cleveland will appoint William B. Hornblower of this city a justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, to succeed the late Justice Blatchford."

NO AUTOPSY.

The Protest of Dr. Graves's Family Will Pre-empt.

DENVER, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) Owing to the strenuous objections of the widow and friends, it has been decided not to hold an autopsy on the body of Dr. Thatcher Graves.

Homestead Starts Up.

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 4.—The Homestead steel works started up today, and all departments are now working. Over two thousand idle men returned to work.

A Dutchman's Insurance.

A certain Dutchman, owner of a small house, says the Newcastle (England) Chronicle had effected an insurance on it of \$800, although it has been built for much less. The house got burnt down, and the Dutchman then claimed the full amount for which it had been insured; but the officers of the company refused to pay more than its actual value—about \$600. He expressed his dissatisfaction in powerful broken English, interlarding his remarks with some choice Teutonic oaths. "If you wish it," said the actuary of the insurance company, "we will build you a house larger and better than the house burnt down, and we are positive it can be done for less than \$600. To this proposition the Dutchman objected, and at last was compelled to take the \$600.

Some weeks after he had received the money, he was called upon by the same agent, who wanted him to take out a policy of life insurance on himself, and on his wife. "If you insure your wife's life for \$2000," the agent said, "and she should die, you would have the sum to solace your heart." "Dat be it," he replied, "but I have a better way. I will insure my wife and my life, and if I die, you will give me \$2000. If you will say to me: 'She was not worth \$2000; she was worth \$600. If you don't like de \$2000, we will give you a bigger and better wife!'"

Shrinkage in Hay.

(American Cultivator.) An experiment has been made in weighing seventeen lots of hay when put in the barn as made and again in December. The hay was made from timothy and clover and was cut at different stages of growth from the time it began to head till it was nearly dead. Fourteen of the lots of hay contained two tons each, the other three 800 pounds each. The greatest shrinkage was 36 per cent., and in four lots was over 20 per cent. The least shrinkage was 10 per cent. in very ripe clover. The average was 24 per cent. From the above it will be seen that, taking the cost of rehandling and the shrinkage, hay must advance largely in price to pay for wintering.

THE SENATORS.

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produce the result of equality in value.

Senator Peffer replied that it would; that it had always done so before. It was the old story, he said, that the partnership existing between the government of the United States and the speculators in Wall street was dissolved. The leaders of the Democratic party were pursuing precisely the same course as the leaders of the Republican party, and that there is a bright, young, vigorous party upon the map of politics which is ready to strike with the men of the Republican party to make a fight for silver. The members of that party care not whether it is called the Populist or National party, or what it is called, but there is coming a union of hearts and hands upon this great question, and that in the very near future, in a large city which has taken the oath of office as Senator, he had predicted that both great parties would soon be under the leadership of Grover Cleveland. They would then have the Senate adjourned before Senator Peffer had concluded his remarks, with the understanding that he should proceed Senator Sherman tomorrow, for the purpose of finishing his speech.

FOR A NEW BILL.

The Ways and Means Committee Commence the Tariff Hearings.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) Today opened the hearings by the Ways and Means Committee of the representatives of protected industries, preparatory to the framing of a new tariff bill. The only persons present were representatives of the potato and onion-growers of the Bermuda Islands, who asked a reduction in duties on these articles on the ground that they are almost prohibitive; that these products do not compete with the native products, being in before the latter, and because Bermuda buys from the United States more than it sells.

Later on an importer of Malaga grapes appeared and asked for a reduction to the specific duty of 25 cents per barrel. These grapes, he said, grow nowhere else in the world, although a small quantity is raised in California. The difficulty is that the California grapes do not keep well, so that in the months of January and February, the Malaga grape is the only grape on sale in this country. About two hundred and fifty thousand barrels of these grapes are annually imported. The revenue amounts to \$150,000.

The importer said he did not advocate placing these grapes on the free list, as he believed these importations should pay a fair and equitable tribute to this country. We grapes put on the free list, he said, would not think the domestic product would suffer. If the duty was reduced, or the grapes were placed on the free list, the importations would increase to 400,000 barrels. Were the importation to increase to this point, the price per barrel would decrease 50 cents, on account of the larger supply, and the grapes would be placed within the reach of many people now debarred. He denied that the retail price of these grapes had ruled lower since the passage of the McKinley law.

The committee then adjourned until tomorrow, when representatives of the cement and silk culture will have a hearing.

AGAINST FILIBUSTERING.

The Vice-President to Prevent Extended Dilatory Practices.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) It is stated that the administration men are counting on Vice-President Stevenson to put an end to filibustering in the Senate after it has proceeded for a time. While there is no cloture rule in the Senate, the presiding officer can decline to recognize a Senator who wishes to speak for the clear purpose of delaying legislation. It is said that the Vice-President will not permit any Senator to speak for a time until his dilatory purpose becomes evident. At such a time, it is said, the Vice-President will fall to give continued recognition to the silver men, but will recognize Senator Voorhees in a motion to take a final vote. This would bring the contest to an abrupt termination.

Senator Stewart has secured the original silver demonetization bill of 1873, and another copy of the measure which went to the House interlined, erased, and generally tampered with, and the original copy of the speech made on the bill, "Real History of the Demonetization of Silver." It is said that he will attack Senator Sherman savagely.

PUBLIC LANDS.

The 5 per Cent. Bill for California Favorably Reported.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) The Senate Committee on Public Lands met today, and agreed upon favorable reports upon several bills. One of the bills reported grants of public lands to put a point and place the control of high-ways in the hands of the Federal government, either for possible strategic purposes or of interstate commerce. It would then be comparatively easy to find work for many of the unemployed in building roads where most needed, and as in that case the work would be done under supervision of the United States Corps of Engineers, uniformity and economy would be obtained.

Our roads are, generally speaking, a byword and a reproach, and their bad condition cannot be excused in the civilized portion of the world. Some of the worst of some of the South American republics. The States benefited might be the expenses, and could such a plan be carried out we would not only relieve much of the distress, preventing poverty-stricken districts, but give good roads to a country sorely in need of them.

A Democratic Reminiscence.

(Quincy Whig.) "Have you ever seen times like these?" said one Democrat to another. "Yes, in '57, when we were in before," was the reply.

MT. LOWE HOTEL COMPANY.

Wishes to communicate with parties of capital desirous of being connected with one of the largest hotel enterprises on the Pacific Coast, controlling the hotel and cafe business of what is and is to be one of the grandest mountain resorts on this continent, on the line of "Mount Lowe Railway."

The wealth of Switzerland is due to the entertainment of visitors to the Swiss Alps, where the largest hotels are to be found. Pasadena's Italy and Alps combined will surpass them all, as we have two months of business to Switzerland's three, and will insure better returns than any other investment on the Pacific Coast.

For full particulars, address MOUNT LOWE HOTEL CO., Grand Opera-house Block, Pasadena, Cal.

A BONAPARTE.

The Grand Nephew of Napoleon I Dies at Beverly.

BEVERLY (Mass.) Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) Jerome Bonaparte died at his summer home at Priddy's Crossing last night.

Col. M. Jerome Bonaparte was the oldest son of Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte, and grand nephew of Napoleon I. He was born in Baltimore on November 5, 1830, and was the son of Jerome Bonaparte, who was the only son of Prince Jerome, King of Wurtemberg, and his wife, the late Elizabeth Patterson Bonaparte of Baltimore.

FATAL SHOTS.

A Farmer Fires into a Crowd of Boys at Long Island City.

LONG ISLAND CITY, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.) William Barrett, a dairy farmer, shot and killed John Egan, 10 years old, and probably mortally wounded David Crawford, 13 years old, this afternoon. He claims a crowd of boys was annoying him. A word of rebuke brought Barrett and him almost into insensibility. They would probably have lynched him but for the police.

GLASS MUST GO.

Democrats Claim They Have "Everything Fixed."

A Resolution Prepared to Be Introduced in the Council This Morning Disrupting the Present Police Commission.

If there is no hitch in the program, a resolution will be presented at the meeting of the City Council this morning declaring the offices of Messrs. Bradish and Bosbyshell as police commissioners vacant, which will be a preliminary step toward the removal of Chief Glass and the "reorganization" of the police department.

For some days past the Democratic City Central Committee has been quietly at work, and this time they claim to have the matter "cinched" beyond any chance of failure. Mayor Rowan and Councilman Nickell, it is claimed, have heeded their differences, and it is also alleged that Councilman Strohm has yielded to the pressure of the saloon keepers and the liquor question, the pretext for his action being the recent rule adopted in regard to closing side entrances and taking out back rooms and booths.

A resolution has been prepared by the Democratic City Central Committee, which, if adopted, would remove Bradish and Bosbyshell, and replace them with a list of fifteen names has been given by the Democratic members of the Council with Mr. Strohm, from which to select those who would not subscribe to it, as in the case of William Priddy, being informed that they could not be considered.

There is considerable curiosity to see who will introduce the machine resolution, and the Council chamber will probably be crowded when the proceedings commence this morning.

DID NOT FIGHT.

A Mill Which Did Not Come Off Last Night.

There was to have been a prize fight in the pavilion at the City Gardens on San Pedro street, last night, and on seven heads of loads of sports went down to witness the fun. The combatants were a young white man, or rather youth, and a negro. The party went to the gardens, when it was stated that the fight had been postponed. The police were posted. One long-headed individual then suggested that as the grand jury was in session, and there was a prospect of the whole party being indicted, it would be better to postpone the fight and change the location. This was agreed to, and the party dispersed. Some of the men agreed to meet within the next two days.

Petty Offenders.

In the Police Court yesterday, Ah Tom was fined \$40 for selling a lottery ticket.

The case of disturbing the peace against Sam Hamilton, was continued till September 11.

A ROAD SUGGESTION.

One Way for the Government to Utilize the Army of Unemployed.

A correspondent suggests the following in a communication to the New York Herald: "The Government should take a point and place the control of high-ways in the hands of the Federal government, either for possible strategic purposes or of interstate commerce. It would then be comparatively easy to find work for many of the unemployed in building roads where most needed, and as in that case the work would be done under supervision of the United States Corps of Engineers, uniformity and economy would be obtained."

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A plan has been evolved and partially put into execution whereby the baby city wages of employees will be reduced to the wages of men employed in clerical work at the San Francisco offices. Each man is to be laid off two days every month. By this method it is thought the company may not be put to the necessity of further reduction of force in the office building. As there are many apartments, the saving in days for one month would amount to 1300. This would be equivalent to the wages of 1300 men for one month.

The San Francisco Chronicle of Sunday said: "Trouble is apprehended along the Union Pacific owing to the recent cut in wages of employees. A private dispatch from Ogden stated that the employees were in a rather reckless state of mind, and might do something desperate. First the Union Pacific delayed the regular pay day. Then the shovemen were put on half time, and the working force reduced as low as possible. Finally a cut of 10 per cent. was made in salaries and wages all around. This has caused great discontent and distrust among employees, who feel that they are being squeezed to pay interest on bonds."

DEATH RECORD.

GUEST—At the residence of his father-in-law, S. Fies, September 4, 1893, Albert Elwood Guest, aged 27 years 5 months, died of typhoid fever.

GIBSON—At this city, September 4, 1893, Charles Clayton, child of George W. Gibson, aged 2 years 11 months and 5 days.

FUNERAL—At Adventist Church, on the street near Hill street, at 2 p.m. today.

WITH GREAT ECLAT.

Chamber of Commerce Excursion Started.

The Southern Pacific Makes Another Concession.

Another Way of Econom

FINALLY DECIDED.

Opinion in the Kiessig-Allspaugh Case.

The Supreme Court Affirms the Former Judgment.

Suit to Oust a Justice of the Peace from Office.

J. W. Davis Thinks That I. S. Moore Should Be Deprived of His Official Dignity.

Lugo Gets a Three-Year Sentence.

A Supreme Court opinion has been rendered in the case of Kiessig vs. Allspaugh, of judgment and order of the lower court being affirmed.

The plaintiff in the action sought to recover \$180.25 upon a building contract executed to him by the defendant, Allspaugh and Hall, principals, and by the defendant Lundeen as surety. The bond sued upon was executed on October 15, 1887, and after reciting the fact the complainant alleged that the principals therein had on October 14, 1887, entered into a contract with the plaintiff to build for him a certain house, for the price and in accordance with specifications contained in the contract, which were as follows: "Now, therefore, we, A. M. Allspaugh and M. S. Hall as principals, and H. V. Pomeroy and N. P. Lundeen as sureties, bind ourselves, our heirs and our executors and successors, in the sum of \$5000 to forever hold harmless said Charles Kiessig against any claims, demands, or liens of all characters whatsoever, for material or labor expended or used in the building, constructing and finishing of said house."

The original building contract was not recorded. The price therein agreed to be paid for the construction of the building was \$3000. Work under the contract was commenced after the execution of the bond referred to, and the building was completed by the contractor in accordance with the plans contained in the original contract, but plaintiff was compelled to pay, in addition to the contract price, the amount sued for in the action for the purpose of discharging the liens for material used in and labor performed on the building. Judgment was rendered in the Superior Court in favor of plaintiff and the defendant Lundeen appealed.

The Supreme Court opinion, delivered in bank, recites that it is provided by section 1133 of the Code of Civil Procedure that all contracts for the construction of buildings, when the amount to be paid therefor exceeds \$1000, shall be in writing and filed in the office of the Recorder of the county where the property is situated, before work is commenced under the contract, and if not filed with the Recorder that it shall be wholly void and no recovery can be had thereunder by either party. The section further provides that, in such case the labor and materials of all persons except the contractor should be deemed to have been done and furnished at the personal instance of the owner and they should have a lien for the value thereof.

The appellant Lundeen claimed that the bond sued upon in the action was dependent upon the contract referred to therein, and that this contract was wholly void under the section of the code referred to because not filed with the County Recorder, and that the bond was void also. The point thus presented was decided adversely to the contention of the appellant, in the case of Kiessig vs. Allspaugh et al., 91 California 234, in which the validity of the same bond was attacked by one of the principals named, upon the ground urged by appellant. In answering the objection to its validity the court then said: "Although the original contract could not be enforced, because not recorded, the contractor might, nevertheless, perform and the plaintiff could accept such performance, and neither be guilty of any wrong in so doing; and if in performing the appellant incurred a personal liability for labor or materials, which was discharged by the plaintiff in order to remove a lien from his own property or at the request of the plaintiff, the plaintiff is to repay, plaintiff is created by law, and would exist independently of the building contract, and is not affected by any defect therein, and is a sufficient consideration to support the express undertaking of defendant to repay, and the bond may, therefore, be deemed valid and enforceable, notwithstanding that the right to enforce it does not depend upon the subsequent or continued validity of the building contract. As already stated, this bond is not within the letter of the section, and it may be added, that it is not within its reason or spirit, and its enforcement is not in conflict with the policy of that section."

The sole purpose of the bond was to protect the plaintiff against the consequences of the failure of the contractor to pay the personal obligations which they might incur for labor and material, in the event that they actually constructed for the plaintiff, and referred to in the contract, and it was the duty of the court to enforce it according to its terms.

The judgment, therefore, be affirmed.

OTHER ORDERS.

Other orders have been made by the Supreme Court as follows:

"Excelsior Paying Company, respondent, vs. Leach et al., appellants. Upon authority of Brown vs. Jenks, No. 14,914, opinion filed March 27, 1893, the judgment and order denying a new trial herein are reversed."

"Main Street Savings Bank and Trust Company, respondent, vs. Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles county, et al., appellants. In Farmers' and Merchants' Bank vs. Board of Equalization of Los Angeles, 97 Cal. 318, most of the questions involved in this appeal were determined adversely to the respondent. The additional point now presented, that the Legislature could not confer upon the State Board of Equalization authority to extend the time within which the County Board of Equalization could act, must also, under the principles declared in that case, be determined against the respondents; and upon the authority of that case judgment is reversed."

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"WANT HIM OUSTED."

Justice I. S. Moore of Wilmington township, is making a struggle to retain the official insignia which demonstrates him as the preserver of the peace down at the seaport town, and J. W. Davis is trying to have the said Justice divested of his cloak of authority, and have the office which he holds declared vacant.

The case is entitled People vs. I. S. Moore, and it came up in Department Four yesterday for hearing before Judge Van Dyke.

The matter is a part of the same cause that was discussed some weeks ago, when the fact was noted that although the complaint was made in the name of the people, Dist. Atty. Dillon appeared for the people. Of course, this could not be if the action was a criminal one, so, under the circumstances, it was not considered as such.

Yesterday afternoon when the case

was called in Department Four, the District Attorney stuck to the position of counsel for the defendant, or associate with Attorney Savage, while Wells, Monroe & Lee appeared for the people.

The complaint was based on an affidavit made by J. W. Davis, and set forth that Justice Moore issued an attachment upon the property of Davis without due cause, and in a manner not in compliance with the required form. That he held the property under the illegal attachment for some days and refused to release it at the demand of the owner.

He afterward told Davis that he would release it provided a \$50 bond was deposited with him, and this was done. Then the keeper turned the property over to Davis, but in a few hours returned, and again assumed charge of it under orders from Moore. The latter, it seems, had consulted Attorney Savage, and had been told that he should not have released the property. Hence he sent the keeper back. Then Davis demanded his bond, and this the justice also refused to deliver to him. For these acts it was asked that Moore be deprived of office.

The defense pleaded that the justice was through ignorance that the justice made the blunder, and that they spent the greater part of the afternoon in arguing a motion to dismiss on this ground.

The case will be resumed this morning at 10 o'clock.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

On motion of United States Attorney Denis, Francis P. Lefroy was yesterday admitted to practice before the Circuit Court.

The order made about a week ago in the case of the Southern Pacific Railway Company vs. Otto Brock, and which was to have been taken up before the United States Supreme Court as a test case, was yesterday set aside, and the case again placed on the calendar for further argument.

Court Notes.

Manuel Lugo, convicted on Saturday of placing and allowing his wife to remain in a house of ill-fame, was sentenced yesterday by Judge Smith to three years' imprisonment in San Quentin. The sentence was the minimum allowed by law.

Zoe G. Peck, Esq., yesterday filed in Department One a notice of appeal in the case of the People vs. W. H. Young. The court reporter was directed to prepare a transcript of the testimony for the purpose of preparation of a bill of exceptions.

The causes of People vs. Edward Fry and Charles H. Baker were set for trial on September 29 and 28, respectively, in Department One.

Joseph Hughes, charged with burglary, appeared yesterday before Judge Pierce for arraignment, time being continued for pleading until September 6.

Departments were filed yesterday in Department One by the District Attorney, charging John Carter and Joseph Brady with robbery. Ah Fook with burglary, example Albert Scott with assault with a deadly weapon.

Jacob Mizgal, a native of Prussia, and Charles Swager, a native of Austria, were yesterday admitted to citizenship by Judge Pierce in Department One.

On petition of H. J. Crawford, Esq., Alexander Insley was yesterday released on writ of habeas corpus, and Judge Insley was committed for disturbing the peace, and had served the full time for which he was sentenced.

A motion for a change of venue in the case of H. Maljan vs. the Fidelity and Casualty Company was yesterday granted by Judge Van Dyke, the cause being ordered transferred to the Superior Court of San Francisco.

Judgment for \$58.45 in favor of the plaintiff was yesterday awarded in Department Four in the case of W. H. French vs. J. Well.

Ludwig Bauer was yesterday sent to the county hospital, by order of Judge Van Dyke, on a writ of habeas corpus, the patient not developing cause warranting his commitment to the insane asylum.

A motion for a new trial was made yesterday in Department One, in the case of Arcadia B. de Baker vs. the Southern California Railway Company. Argued and denied.

Suits for divorce have been commenced by Samuel Weeks against Margaret Weeks, Isaac H. Polk against Isabella M. Polk, and H. C. Jackson against Mary W. Jackson.

New Suits.

Preliminary papers in the following new suits were filed with the County Clerk yesterday:

C. A. Richey et al. vs. Perry Olmsted; suit to recover \$429.43 due on merchandise.

Anna von Bohonoff vs. Santa Monica and Solisley Home Railway Company; suit for \$25,290 damages for personal injuries.

Hannah A. Baldwin et al. vs. A. J. Sauer et al.; suit on foreclosure of mortgage for \$2000.

Estate of Maria G. de Lamacra, deceased; petition of Barbara Berde for letters of administration.

J. W. Ritzman et al. vs. J. E. Merriam; application for writ of mandate.

Licensed to Wed.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday at the office of the County Clerk as follows:

B. M. Blythe, a native of Kentucky, aged 38 years, a resident of San Francisco, vs. Lillie Merchant, a native of Texas, aged 27 years, a resident of Norwalk.

Frank X. Winter, a native of Germany, aged 33 years, a resident of San Diego, to Mina Hoffman, aged 36 years, of same nativity, a resident of this city.

Abraham Aguilar, a native of California, aged 44 years, a resident of Anaheim, to Francisca Silva, a native of same State, aged 19 years, a resident of this city.

Joseph Preter, a native of Germany, aged 33 years, to Annie C. Hutler, a native of Minnesota, aged 23 years; both residents of this city.

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After using one bottle of Smith's Dandruff Pomade, I am pleased to state that I am entirely cured of dandruff, with which I was troubled for ten years. I have paid out dollar after dollar for remedies recommended to me, but without any permanent effect, and your remedy is the one that has cured me. I found more benefit from three applications of your remedy than from all other remedies combined. I recommend it to all having trouble with dandruff, regardless of how many years standing. Yours truly, J. M. LUGO, Assistant postmaster, Fresno.

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IN THE WOMAN'S BUILDING.

It is There a Man is Made to Feel His Utter Insignificance.

(Chicago Record.) Somebody had been calling the attention of the wife of the Maharajah of Kapurthala to objects of special interest at Jackson Park. "So this is the Woman's building," she said, as the great white structure was pointed out to her. "Do they allow men inside its walls?"

The question is amusing in itself, and yet a great, big interrogation mark of the same kind has appeared before the blurred visions of a thousand men who have paused at its threshold.

It cannot fail of notice that the man who wanders through the Woman's building seems invariably embarrassed and ill at ease. If he go alone, he looks conscience-stricken, glancing furtively about as if expecting to be ejected. He doesn't allow himself to become deeply interested in anything, and when he finally reaches the bronze statue of Leif Ericson at the west portal, he feels relieved.

Naturally enough, the married man accompanied by his wife shrivels into insignificance in this atmosphere. He becomes merely the husband of the woman, and looks on meekly as she makes the rounds. He feels about eleven years older and 3 feet 7 inches in height. He may have been always the self-assertive, domineering lord and master of his household, but fifteen minutes of the Woman's building reduces him to a minuscule quantity. He feels submissive to a painful degree.

Yes, the women allow men inside the Woman's building. But, in the nature of things, they can't encourage such invasions.

A Politician's Postmaster.

(New Orleans Picayune.) The postmaster was so bland and courteous when the mail came in that I felt it my duty to give him a few words of praise.

"I've to do it—he's to do it," he whispered in reply. "Come to the door with me. I've seen them three graves over there?"

"Yes."

"Then my predecessors in office—three of 'em!"

"Postmasters who have died, eh?"

"Postmasters who have been killed, sir—wiped out right here because they didn't tumble to human nature" around a postoffice.

You must have a special brand of human nature in this town?" I queried.

"Exactly, sir. Mebbe you noticed old Bill Wheeler? He's never got a letter in his life, and he's never lived. He'll be whole grist, and do it mighty careful, too. If I just said: 'Nuthin' for you, Bill,' he'd be with his gun and blaze away. Did he take notice of that one-eyed fellow, Jim Hastings? Of course I know there ain't no letter for him, but I've to send him one, and inquire about his health and keep him good natured. He shot the first postmaster here. Phaps you noticed the little old woman, Mrs. Jones, who sent her arm—John Dawson's wife? Her husband shot the second postmaster because he wouldn't open the office Sunday afternoon."

"And what was the third one shot for?"

"Got too high-toned. Uncle Tom Wallace tried to get him out of bed at midnight to see if there was a letter for him, but he bucked. Uncle Tom kinder hated to shoot, but felt that he ought to do it for an example."

"And do you get up nights?"

"I don't hev to. I leave the mail out here in a basket, keep a light burnin' and the door open, and if any one wants to pay the grist over her's at liberty to do it. It's the same on Sundays, and I guess the folks are purty well satisfied with the way things is runnin'."

Leastwise, I haven't been shot in the four months I've had the place, and I take that as a sign."

Consumption Not Caused by Cold.

(New York Herald.) Everybody should clearly understand that consumption is never the result of catching cold, and this is proved by the fact that the disease does not exist in certain cold countries, such as Ireland or the Faeroe Islands, until the disease made its appearance with the habitual use of alcohol.

Pulmonary phthisis has only two factors, lack of pure air and the abuse of alcoholic drinks, to which can be added pathological conditions, such as diabetes, undermine the patient.

Phthisis spreads in direct ratio to the use of houses, to the increase in the number of our houses, and to the desertion of life in the fields for life in the city.

The disease is rare toward the equator, for the simple reason that there are no manufacturing towns in that latitude. If large manufacturing and agglomerations of human beings were to be formed in such regions, consumption would appear just as in any other spot, without the action of cold having anything to do with the matter.

According to whether the complaint is originated by one cause or the other of the two causes mentioned above, it affects a different portion of the breathing apparatus. When a person becomes consumptive through an insufficient supply of pure air the tuberculosis form in the forward portion of the left apex, but with alcoholic patients they find it at the right apex. In other localizations are so habitual that in M. Lancereux's opinion they are sufficient in ninety-nine cases out of one hundred to throw the physician on the track of the true cause of the disease.

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Silver in Congress.

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The immediate reason for this movement was the depreciation of silver. Silver had fallen, by reason of the discovery of the great American silver mines, from \$15.40 per ounce in 1850, to \$9.40 in 1874, when the Bland coinage act was passed. By 1877 it was down to \$13.16-17, and the mine-owners began to fear that they would lose the great profits and needs which the silver act was passing. By 1877 it was down to \$13.16-17, and the mine-owners began to fear that they would lose the great profits and needs which the silver act was passing.

Mr. Bland was simply a means, an instrument, through which the mine-owners worked. When the act of 1875 was passed, John P. Jones was completing his first term as Senator from Nevada. His present colleague, William M. Stewart, was not then a member of the Senate. He had served in that body from 1864 to 1875. He was elected again in 1877. In the other years the silver kings had occupied the seat; for this pocket-borough Nevada, is always represented in the Senate by men who dwell in San Francisco, but who own the mines that make her greatest and practically her only resource.

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Not having the necessary range for so many horses I have concluded to dispose of my entire lot of highly-bred trotting stock at Public Auction, without reserve, to the highest bidder. The stock consists of my standard bred and registered trotting stallion, KAY-MON (12,007), race record 2:27, and about 25 head of his sons and daughters; also their dams, some in foal to him and the others in foal to McKinney, 2:15. The horses represent the blood of some of our most noted sires. This is the best lot of stock that has ever been offered by any one breeder in the State. They are all grand individuals, highly bred and first-class in every way. Parties who attend this sale can do so with the utmost confidence as this stock will be sold to the highest bidder. Catalogues with tabulated breeding of this stock will be out on September 5, and can be had at office of E. W. Noyes, 214 St. Spring St.

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PASADENA.

The City Council Meets in Regular Session.

Mr. McLachlan Discusses Electric Road Franchises—The Marshal Captures a Bad Young Man—Mr. Rosseter's Victory.

The City Council met in regular session at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Mayor Weed presided, and all the trustees were present.

All bills filed to date were referred to the Committee on Auditing and Finance without result.

The Auditing Committee reported favorably on bills to the amount of \$104.49, which report was approved and the necessary warrants were ordered drawn.

A petition, signed by William Menner, Charles M. Parker, Mary S. White and Mary E. Parker, was read asking that the alleys in lot 12, block J, of the San Pasquel tract, be declared vacated and closed. The City Attorney was instructed to prepare the necessary papers to comply with the request of the petitioners.

A petition, signed by Thomas Banbury, H. N. Sargent, L. Craig, John McDonald and Joseph Wallace, was submitted, asking that the official grade of Lincoln avenue be established, between Orange Grove avenue and the north line of Mountain street. The City Engineer was instructed to make the necessary survey.

STREET IMPROVEMENTS.
On motion, bids were opened for laying a cement sidewalk, cobblestone curb and gutter, on the west side of Los Robles avenue, between Colorado and Center streets, as follows: James H. Dovy, sidewalk 114 cents per square foot, curb 12 cents per lineal foot, gutter 15 cents per lineal foot.

Gray Bros., artificial Stone Pavine Company, sidewalk 12 cents, curb 13 cents, gutter 18 cents; Eugene Paine, sidewalk 11 cents, curb 12 cents, gutter 15 cents. A resolution was passed awarding the contract to Paine.

The following bids were opened for similar work on Palmetto street: Gray Bros., artificial Stone Pavine Company, sidewalk 124 cents, curb 33 cents, gutter 17 cents; Hogan Bros., sidewalk 124 cents, curb 35 cents, gutter 20 cents; Owen Kinsman, sidewalk 109 cents, curb 31 cents, gutter 15 cents. The contract was awarded to Kinsman.

OTHER BUSINESS.
Sarah J. White was granted permission to erect a two-story frame addition, to contain about twenty rooms, to the residence property known as Ball's home place, on the west side of Fair Oaks avenue, between Mary and Union streets.

City Recorder Rosseter submitted his report for the month of August, which was referred to the Auditing and Finance Committee. The report shows eight cases tried, and 10 cases pending. The amount of \$48, of which \$273 has been paid.

The reports of the City Tax Collector, Poundmaster and assessor for August were also submitted and referred.

ELECTRIC ROAD FRANCHISES.
Ex-Dist. Atty. James McLachlan addressed the board in the interest of the Los Angeles Consolidated Electric Railway Company, with reference to the proposed franchises which the company asks for in Pasadena. Mr. McLachlan stated that he was present to call up the petitions heretofore filed by Messrs. Foster and Rosseter for franchises, but, as the proposed franchises were located in the office of the City Attorney, and he was absent, it would be impossible to take them up intelligently without the documents. Mr. McLachlan stated, however, that his clients still desire a franchise over the route indicated by the original petitions.

When asked why his clients wanted franchises over parallel streets but a short distance apart, he said they had never taken the time to imagine that a liberal franchise in Pasadena might be an advantage to any corporation attempting such a great enterprise in these desolate tracts.

By building on Colorado street, or Fair Oaks street, they might be able to force more bonds than by building over other parallel streets; and the same may be true of other streets, hence he could see good reason for asking for franchises to expend the money on the road, and to call for bonds to build the road, and to call for bonds to build the road, and to call for bonds to build the road.

Mr. McLachlan said that no individuals or corporations are hunting or begging for franchises to expend the money on the road, and to call for bonds to build the road, and to call for bonds to build the road.

For several weeks past some one has been annoying the residents in the vicinity of Mary street and Fair Oaks avenue, by playing the "Peeping Tom" act. More than one lady in this neighborhood has been alarmed while the perpetrator has been outside of her window, until the nuisance became so general that Marshal Buchanan was notified. By some clever detective work, he succeeded in running down the offender Saturday night, while engaged in his shady for of amusement. He happened to be a young man whose home is not far distant from the scene of operations. After he had fallen into the Marshal's hands, he was escorted to the latter's office, after which he made a full confession and plotted the commission around to the various houses he visited that evening, in the hope

of seeing behind the shutters and window curtains. The offender has not yet been placed under arrest, but the party upon whom he has been annoying can be induced to prosecute, he will certainly be taken severely to task for his misdeeds.

ANOTHER VICTORY FOR ROSSITER.

Complying with the alternative writ of mandate issued by Judge Smith, Saturday Justice Merriam appeared Monday morning, in Department One of the Superior Court, Judge Pierce of San Diego presiding, to show cause why he had not complied with the order of the court to transfer the case of Burnham vs. Ritzman and Vore to another justice's court for trial upon the affidavits of one of the defendants, alleging bias and prejudice on the part of said justice. Mr. Merriam was represented by A. H. Metcalfe, Esq., and G. A. Gibbs, Esq. The petitioners were represented by J. G. Rosseter, Esq. Several legal technicalities were urged by the defendant's counsel, but, without hearing argument, Judge Pierce rendered a decision in the latter gentleman's favor, by ordering an imperative writ of mandate to be issued compelling the justice to transfer the cause.

PASADENA BREVITIES.
Monday was another warm day. Monday morning's overland arrived on time.

C. S. Martin is down from the mountains for a few days' stay.

G. Williams has returned from an enjoyable trip to Catalina.

The family of W. H. Conrad are enjoying mountain life at Switzer's.

Rolla Manahan will leave today (Tuesday) to resume his studies at Stanford University.

A. A. Adams has a first-class horse and a first-class carriage driver and wagon maker with him.

Pasadena Court, A. O. F. of A. was instituted at Pasadena, with appropriate ceremonies, at the Knights of Pythias Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Adams will leave today on a five weeks' Eastern trip, to participate in the visit to the World's Fair and Cleveland, O.

The Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce excursion passed through Pasadena a few minutes after 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. A stop of several minutes was made at the station.

The Knights of the Macabees initiated several new members at their meeting, Monday evening, after which a social session was held and a general good time enjoyed.

A general meeting of the Board of Trade will be held this (Tuesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock, to discuss the revision of the constitution and by-laws, and for the transaction of other business. The board of directors will meet in monthly session immediately after the adjournment of the general meeting.

Comrade Stutz of the G.A.R. Hall Committee reports everything moving along well, looking to the successful carrying out of this undertaking.

A meeting of the committee, the trustees of the post, and the Advisory Committee of the G.A.R. will be held at the home of Mr. McDonald, Broadway, at 7 o'clock (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock.

A most surprising and beautiful sight greeted the vision of guests who at the first time visited Rubio Canyon, and Echo Mountain, on Saturday and Sunday evenings, and that was the beautiful, and, as some expressed it, a grand display of electric lights in two prominent groups, the nearer one at Pasadena and the farther one over at Los Angeles. From Echo Mountain, as if you looked down into a broad lake, but it was not water, you could see the reflection of the most brilliant stars of heaven.

RIVERSIDE COUNTY.

Entries for the Coming Bicycle Races—Personal and General.

The entries for the bicycle tournament to take place in this city on Admission day, on Saturday night, with a total of 120 entries. For the road race, which occurs in the morning, there are thirty-two entries. It is now pretty certain that Lewis Fox, the Colton wonder, will be back from Chicago to participate, and he has entered for a number of races. The track is better than it has ever been for a race, and a larger number of riders will take part than in the month of August.

THE RECORDERS BUSINESS.
In the month of August, there were filed in the County Recorder's office 137 deeds, the total consideration as specified amounted to \$287,285.66.

There were eighty-eight mortgages recorded, and there were 119 other filings of a miscellaneous character. The instruments filed contained 3499 pages, and the copists are at this time still running over and part of the papers upon the records, which had been carried over from July. There was collected for fees the sum of \$326.55.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.
The property-owners in the Riverside Heights Irrigation District have unanimously voted to accept the bonds.

In August Sheriff Swope collected in fees \$323.05, an increase of 50 per cent. over the July collections.

S. R. Richter has begun suit against James H. Gardner for the recovery of 160 acres of land and \$300 in money, of which he claims to have been discharged by defendant in 1890.

Mrs. J. H. Baker and daughter, of Shell City, Iowa, are visiting the family of Willet Gardner.

The heavy rains last week washed the track at the Fairgrounds a little in places, but it was the work of only a few hours to put it in good condition. Those who have entered for the races are all well, and are all ready to race.

The boys are all said to be in better training than ever before.

Dr. Gregory, County Superintendent of Schools, estimates the amount to be levied for school purposes for the next year at \$15 per census child.

The East Vale School District has been organized with John W. Tait, O. B. Fuller and C. Yount as directors.

BANNING.
Miss Iva Armstrong of Banning will teach the Bannin school for the ensuing year.

Mrs. Jennie Westlake, who has been attending her sister, Mrs. Fraser, during her illness, has returned to her home at San Jose.

M. L. Bridges has returned from the Pomona mines after an absence of three months.

A large number of Banning people will attend the wedding of Rev. D. McCunn and Miss Grace Haden at Beaumont on Wednesday.

HO for the World's Fair! We all can go. The railroad has reduced the fare and Whitney, the trunk man, will repair your trunk and traveling bag, or sell you a new one, at reduced rates, 34 North Main street, Baker Block.

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ORANGE COUNTY.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors.

The Usual Routine Business, Disposed of—Serious Accident—Another Artesian Well—Paid Their Fines.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session Monday, with all members and the clerk present.

J. E. Bacon, a justice of the peace at San Juan Capistrano, was granted leave of absence of sixty days, beginning September 15.

The clerk was instructed to prepare a couple of copies of the surveyor's report of the railroad mileage in the county for the State Board of Equalization.

The question of the official publication of the proceedings of the board monthly, in one of the newspapers of the town or county, was brought up and discussed at some length, after which it was referred to the District Attorney.

The agreement between H. A. Skyles and the county of Orange in the matter of constructing a bridge over Santiago Creek, between Orange and El Monte, was approved and the chairman of the board authorized to sign the same, which is to be attested by the clerk.

Ransom Cooper of Yorba made application for a saloon license, and the chairman was instructed to approve the applicant's bond.

On the 24th the District Attorney, in reference to the claims of J. L. Holly, M. J. Rodgers and F. R. Hazard, as to the illegal collection of the New York drainage district was, in effect, that the collections were legally and properly made. Therefore the demand of the complainants for a rebate were denied.

The Auditor's balance, Treasurer's report and joint report of the District Attorney and Auditor were received, read and filed.

Auditor's warrant No. 1416 was ordered canceled.

County Superintendent Greely requested the board to furnish him a receipt for county papers, and the same was referred to Chairman Yoch with power to act.

The clerk was instructed to notify the California Southern Railway that the board accepts their proposition to furnish rock, brush and transportation, upon the county furnishing labor to load, unload and place the material for the protection of the river bank on the Orange River.

The matter of the closing of the streets of the townsite of Savannah in the northern portion of the county the prayer of the petitioners was granted, pending the action of the board of directors on the matter.

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has been the poorest month in a business way of any since the organization of the county, the month of September starts off more auspiciously.

Mary E. Keller of Tustin was granted a divorce from her husband, William Keller, Monday by Judge Townner. The divorce was granted upon the grounds of intemperance.

The trial of Fred Downs, the carnal-minded brute who committed the unnatural crime against nature upon the person of Carl Jennings a few days ago, has been set for Thursday, September 7, at 9:30 a.m.

Information has been filed by the District Attorney charging C. S. Purcell of Anaheim with the crime of perjury. The complaint is sworn to by one Alexander M. Grant, and the offense was committed July 7, 1893.

E. M. Buckins of Los Angeles and Miss Jessie E. A. Shields of the same city, who were married last Saturday morning at the residence of a relative of the bride. At noon Mr. and Mrs. Buckins took the Santa Fe train for Los Angeles.

The regular meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 in the First Presbyterian Church, corner of Sixth and Spring streets. A full and interesting report of the school of methods, held at Long Beach, will be given by Misses. Conaway, Wells, Mills and Powers.

Santa Ana returning from the Santa Barbara and Ventura county fairs bring the information that the horsemen of those two counties proposed to hold a race at Santa Ana, Orange county fair in October. From present indications the speed programme this year will eclipse any other that the county has yet furnished in that line.

Barnard Gallagher, a San Francisco capitalist, has just spent a week in this city with his old friend, Dr. Enomond. Mr. Gallagher was delighted with the Santa Ana Valley and its fine horses. He saw Shilwood do one certain feat, and several other flyers go around the circuit in remarkably fast time. He will return to this city again to see the October races.

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SAN BERNARDINO.

The Anti-Chinese Movement at Redlands.

Warrants Secured for the Arrest of Twelve of the Heathen—The Outrage at Crafon—San Bernardino News Notes.

Before the arrival of the rainy season the alley connecting the Court house and Court street with Third street, and known as Court alley, should be put in much better condition than it is now. This alley is more used than any other in the city, narrow and dirty as it is, for it is the shortest and most direct route from the Courthouse to points on Third street, between D and E, the center of the business part of town. But as soon as the rains begin it becomes a filthy mudhole. It should be paved, or at least graveled, and the fences and buildings cleaned and all rubbish and filth kept out of it.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.
K. H. Wade of the Santa Fe passed through the city on Sunday evening on route to the White City.

The harvest of drunks was not large on Monday. There were but two, and these were from each.

There was no demonstration or any suspension of work in this city that would convey the idea that Monday was Labor day.

Rudge On has returned from the coast, and will resume his duties by presiding at court in Department One at 10 a.m. on Tuesday.

About two hundred people passed through here on Monday en route to the Riverside Federation of Labor picnic at Harlem Springs.

Another Mexican named F. Rodriguez is under

LABOR'S DAY OFF.

Many People Celebrate at Redondo.

Over Twenty Organizations are Represented.

An Extensive Programme of Speaking and Sports.

A Talk on the Duties of Labor Organizations. Foot Races, Race Races and Other Amusements—The Day's Details.

The observation of Labor day, which took the form of an excursion to and programme at Redondo Beach yesterday, was organized and conducted by the Los Angeles Council of Labor, and proved to be a very enjoyable and successful affair. A somewhat elaborate programme of amusements was made out, the prizes being donations from the business men of Los Angeles.

The Council of Labor is composed of all the industrial unions of the city, and Monday's outing was participated in by members of the following organizations composing the council: Carpenters, painters, stonecutters, digmakers, plumbers, paperhangers, cooks, bakers, waiters, machinists, ironmolders, sailors, longshoremen, tailors, electrical linemen, clerks, station and bricklayers. There were also present, upon invitation, representatives of the various lodges of the Knights of Labor, and of the Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union. J. S. Barbee, State secretary of the latter organization, was among those in attendance, and the 250 other members of the order who participated in the day's doings represented most of the forty sub-alliances of Los Angeles county, as well as the alliances of San Diego, San Bernardino, Riverside and Orange counties.

All the trains reaching Redondo bore large delegations of members of the various orders, their families and their friends, and the crowds by noon occupied the wharf, beach and frontage generally, each individual group being left to its own choice of amusement prior to the beginning of the regular programme. The Casino was placed at the disposal of the order, and was headquarters during the day. The orchestra was in attendance, and when not allowed off for more intellectual proceedings, the dance held sway.

W. A. White of the Stonecutters' Union, secretary of the council, was master of ceremonies, being seconded by a committee of arrangements composed of W. P. Galbraith and F. B. Gaylor of the Typographical Union, and S. Larson of the Tailors' Union. It was 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon when Mr. White introduced as chief speaker of the day W. M. Wilkins of Fresno, who held the floor for an hour, as many as could get within reach of his voice for three-quarters of an hour, his address taking more the form of admonition and advice than an argument for or against parties or men.

At the conclusion of Mr. Wilkins' address it was announced that the games would follow, the balance of the speaking being deferred until evening. The sports opened with the tug-of-war contest, held on the beach, and between the married men on one side and the single men on the other. Teams of ten were organized, the beneficiaries of the Los Angeles Typographical Union, and the bachelors by J. E. Cusick of the plumbers. After a good and steady strain of fifteen minutes' duration, the Los Angeles team won. Prize, a case of wine.

There were twelve entries in the 100 yards dash. The sprinters got a good end-off, being well bunched for the first quarter of the distance. The race was won in 13 seconds by F. H. Crowell of the Cooks' Union. Prize, a suit of clothes.

In the fat men's race, twenty-five yards, there were four entries. This was an open number, and was won by H. A. McLean, of the Los Angeles police force, who won from the start. Prize, a box of cigars.

The sack race was one of the most amusing features of the programme, and there were twenty entries. It was fifty yards, and was won by E. W. Gibson, of Redondo. Prize, a suit of underwear.

The potato race, with four starters, was won by A. A. Hutchins. Prize, a hat.

In the misses' race—15 years old and under—with five entries, Minnie Schaefer took first and Cora Taylor second. Prize, consisting of a fine cake and a bottle of perfume.

There were five entries for the lean men's race, which was won by A. C. Stewart. Prize, a box of cigars.

There was a full field of starters in the 100 yards free-for-all footrace, Frank Donohue of San Francisco, Hugh Gibson second. Prizes, a pair of shoes and a year's subscription to a labor paper.

When the better part of a dozen men had attempted the hop, step and jump, John Burke was declared the winner. Prize, a silk vest.

Of three starters in the swimming race, W. Maxey easily took the lead, and swam around the bathing-beach buoy well ahead of his competitors. Prize, a bathing suit.

The closing event in the athletic contests was putting the hammer, nine entries. F. C. Wheeler won. Prize, a case of wine.

The various contests were thoroughly amateur in all respects. It was a good-natured free-for-all, for the benefit of the sporting fields. The fact, and the fidelity with which it was illustrated, accounts for the absence of the usual details of similar events concerning times and distances.

It was sundown before the sports were concluded, and many visitors had gone on the afternoon trains. A special train on the Santa Fe, which left shortly after 8 o'clock, added liberally to the remaining excursionists, but for some reason or other the deferred addresses did not materialize, and the day closed with the waltz dancing contest.

This proved to be one of the absorbing competitions of the day, and opened with a crowded floor. The judges selected from the best couples several successive times until the floor was cleared of all except four. From these, after change of partners, the winners were announced as follows: Ladies—Lizzie Wernie, Kattie Kiepert and Mrs. F. H. Wise. The gentlemen named: A. O'Donnell and Frank McCusky, first and second in gentlemen's competition. The ladies' prizes were in order named, a dozen cabinet photographs, one hundred visiting cards and a toilet set; the gentlemen's, a box of cigars and a year's subscription to a labor paper. All the dance winners live in Los Angeles.

At 10 o'clock the Santa Fe special train gathered up the remaining visitors and the day's events were pleasantly and peacefully over.

VENTURA COUNTY.

The Late Huene Fair—Changes Among Newspapers.

The Huene Fair is a thing of the past, and the Venturians who were in attendance have returned and settled down to business, well satisfied with the week's sport.

The fair was a success in every particular. The exhibits were attractive and tastefully displayed, and showed to advantage what could be done on Ventura county soil. The racing programme was especially good, the races being hotly contested and some fast developed, and, above all, everybody was satisfied and spoke in the highest terms of the management.

The last week has brought quite a change among the newspapers of the town. The Daily Observer has ceased to exist, and the Venturian puts forth a daily paper. Just how it will run probably in connection with a journal devoted to horticultural and kindred subjects remains to be demonstrated. Ventura news items published almost daily in the Los Angeles dailies is given as one of the principal causes of the demise of the late Observer.

Harley L. Williams, the Santa Paula bicyclist, who won every race he was in at Santa Barbara, leaves Wednesday for Riverside to take part in the races in that city. Admission day. He is entered for a one-mile handicap, a half-mile handicap and the thirteen-mile road race.

Mrs. L. W. Lloyd, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Shepherd, for the past two weeks, received a letter from Oakland, her home, Sunday, stating that her husband was dangerously ill. She left on the evening train and will arrive in Oakland this (Monday) evening. A. J. Shepherd, stating that the best of health was in the hands of Mr. Lloyd had just died. Mrs. Lloyd had been a resident of Ventura previous to her marriage, which took place about a year ago.

The Ventura Floral Society was reorganized last Saturday afternoon. An election of officers will take place at the next meeting, which will be held on the 30th inst. The object of the society is to study the nature and habits of plants to learn the best methods of cultivating and growing seeds, bulbs and flowers. It is the intention of the society to give semi-annual lectures on the subject. E. J. Shepherd is the promoter of the society, and the meetings are to be held in his office on Main street.

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SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

An Amphibious Exhibit—Horticultural Society—Personal.

One of the numerous concessions the Midwinter Fair Association has been asked to grant the right for company of enterprising Santa Barbara business men, Mayor Gaty and Mr. Rogers being interested in the company, to erect a building on the fair ground to contain grottoes, aquariums and rockeries, where seals, sea otters, and sea lions and other marine animals, not found in any aquarium in the United States, and the sea tiger, as well as other animals, in a captive state. It is a very attractive and more on the sea lion order, with ferocious-looking head, cruel curved tusks and a long, pointed snout, and a dark, like his feline counterpart.

To catch these animals it will be necessary to fit out a large schooner, from which place they will be taken. The work of capturing will be done entirely on the Channel Islands off the coast, and must be done during the latter part of this month. The enterprise certainly seems to be a feasible one, and as it is understood that the concession has been secured, the Barbanos interested are at work on the plan.

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REDONDO.

The Beach Surrendered to Labor Day Observances—Personal.

The beach was surrendered to the Labor day observances on Monday, and apparently they made good and full use of it. Each incoming train contributed generous numbers of people, and the day will rank well with the season's festive days for the present season.

The Compeer has finished the discharge of its cargo and clears today (Tuesday) for the Northern Coast, carrying ballast only. The Redfield, taking her place at the west side of the wharf. The Hurbert, the New York bark now at San Pedro, will carry out its original intention to the new wharf at Redondo wharf after all. It will be towed to this port by the Pelican within a day or two.

Frederic Ainsworth and General Manager Thompson have returned from their business jaunt North. They come back more than pleased with the business prospects and prospective of Southern California, in comparison with any or all sections of the Northern Coast.

Monday, as usual, was a busy day with the local Santa Fe force. It saw shipments of fourteen cars of merchandise, twelve cars of ties and four cars of lumber.

Owing to other attractions, the wrestling match announced for Monday afternoon was postponed until Sunday next.

On Monday afternoon the friends and playmates of Jose Beatrice, eldest daughter of J. M. Sutton, were bidden to the family residence to assist the young miss in celebrating her thirteenth birthday.

The public schools of Redondo opened on Monday with an enrollment of 134 pupils.

Monday's crowd was an unusually orderly gathering for one of its size. A Sunday service in the new Methodist Church, provision was made for liquidating the \$25.00 of debt left unpaid for from the dedicatory service. Through the kindness of Mrs. J. O. Thompson of Oakland the church has been supplied with a handsome morocco-bound Bible.

Mrs. J. O. Thompson, who attended Sunday's dedicatory services, will remain during the week a guest of Redondo friends.

Evangelical Union of Michigan began a series of protracted meetings in the Methodist Episcopal Church Monday evening, which will be continued during the week.

Quarterly meeting, Rev. G. W. White presiding, will be held in the Redondo Methodist Episcopal Church this (Tuesday) evening.

SANTA MONICA.

Small Businesses Closed by Attachment—News Notes.

For the past few days there has appeared on the surface here the effects of the stringent money market, in numerous attachment cases filed in the Justice court. Charles E. Hill, New York, on Utah avenue, has been seized by the officers by virtue of a writ of attachment, to satisfy a \$150 claim, held by a man named Hill of Pasadena.

And then the Chinese restaurant on Second street has been closed up, several attachments being in the hands of the officers against the place. There have been also quite a number of civil suits commenced.

Bartholemew Connors, a veteran of the rebellion, and also of the Mexican war, has no reason to criticize the Pension Department, for he was made glad Monday by the notification that his pension had been increased from \$5 to \$16 per month.

W. S. Water and wife, Anderson Rose and wife, E. D. Suits and wife, and W. T. Giles and wife, started Monday for the White City.

Mrs. Feigh, who has been at the Hotel Jackson for several weeks, left on Saturday for a trip to the East and will be back in the Redondo demonstration yesterday.

The Board of Trustees held a meeting last night. The various town officers gave their reports for the month. The Chinese laundry question was also a topic of discussion.

H. A. Samuels and wife of Los Angeles were at the Hotel Jackson yesterday.

J. M. Harris, G. L. Wilkinson and wife, and D. Dodsworth of Los Angeles, are among the recent arrivals at the Hotel Jackson.

Mrs. Senator Jones, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Alice Jones, and Mrs. Hamilton and Miss Hamilton, left for Monday for the White City and the World's Fair. Miss Alice will not return to California, but will enter a young ladies' school at Bryn Mawr, Pa. A. C. Hamilton has gone to San Francisco.

The Misses Gorham, nieces of Senator Jones, and Miss Mattie Jones have gone to the White City. E. A. Forora, Gila Bend, Ariz.; H. C. Black, Covington, Ky.; H. Giese, James T. Laverty, Phoenix, Ariz.; W. B. Musgrave, San Francisco, are recent arrivals at the St. James.

Stage Difficulties. The hushing down of applause during the progress of the Wagner opera appeared rather to disconcert Mr. Lassalle, who, on making his first appearance this season in the Flying Dutchman, a Covent Garden last week, was received absolutely without a hand. Between the acts, however, he was accorded as much applause as he could have desired.

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HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Proceedings of the Regular Monthly Meeting.

The Historical Society of Southern California held its regular monthly meeting in Judge Austin's courtroom last evening, the room being well filled with members and visitors.

Mrs. Emmet Stoddard read a paper descriptive of the scenery around Donner Lake, where the Donner party wintered in 1846, and where so many of that ill-fated company perished of starvation. She exhibited some relics found on the grounds, and described Mr. McGlashin's museum of Donner relics at Truckee. Mr. McGlashin has been for years endeavoring to obtain means to erect a monument to the memory of those who died in that dreary camp. Mrs. Marshall's interesting paper was listened to with close attention, and was highly appreciated by the intelligent audience present.

R. H. Hewitt read a paper on the "Great Financial Panic of 1857." He described in graphic language that period of financial disaster, and contrasted it with the panic of 1893. When that widespread panic had passed over the money, or what passed for money, the State bank notes were swept out of existence. But when the great panic of 1893 shall have passed away, there will be just as much money as there was before. The paper was discussed by Messrs. Barrows, Baxter and Guinn.

A discussion arose in regard to an old Mexican cannon on the Los Virgenes Rancho. The secretary, Mr. Guinn, stated that he had made an effort to obtain it for the society, but did not succeed. Miss Hattie Canfield stated that the cannon was now in possession of a Mr. Dominguez.

This cannot be supposed to have been abandoned by Gov. Micheltoreno on his march southward to fight Pico and Castro, in 1845.

Miss Florence Dunham, of the Los Angeles High school, was proposed for membership. President Jones gave a brief description of the California historic exhibition at the World's Fair. The exhibit, while not extensive, attracted a great deal of attention from visitors.

The society adjourned until the next regular meeting.

Held for Robbery. James Dunn and Frank Pierce, charged with assault with intent to commit robbery, were held for the Superior Court with bail fixed at \$3000 each. They are the men arrested by Officer Lennen while they were trying to go through a drunken man some nights ago.

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THE BRIEFS

NEWS AND BUSINESS

The Weather.

U. S. Weather Bureau, Los Angeles, Sept. 4, 1893.—At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.56; at 5 p.m., 29.58. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 61 deg. and 75 deg. Maximum temperature, 84 deg.; minimum temperature, 53 deg. Character of weather, clear. Barometer reduced to sea level.

On Wednesday evening, September 6, and until further notice, there will be special excursions to Rubio Canyon and Echo Mountain, every evening, to enable visitors to witness from these heights the grand spectacle of Pasadena, Los Angeles and Santa Ana brilliantly illuminated by electric lights.

The Keweenaw will give a children's social, Saturday afternoon, September 9, in Moor Hall, 611 Downey avenue. Refreshments to consist of ice cream and cake. Admission, 10 cents. All are cordially invited.

Fall and winter suitings and trousseaus just received. Lowest prices, largest stock. New cutter engaged. J. F. Henderson, manager. Joe Pohlen, the tailor, 111 South Spring street.

Ho for Rubio Canyon! There will be a starlight excursion to Rubio Canyon Wednesday, the 6th. Trains leave Los Angeles at 4 and 6:30 p.m. on Terminal Railway.

World's Fair. Before starting take out an accident policy. John B. Bushnell, general agent, 212 North Spring street. (Kremer, Campbell & Co.) Tel. 24.

The remains of Mrs. Fena Smith Judd, who died suddenly on Sunday last, were embalmed by Hovvry & Breese and sent to San Jose yesterday.

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The postponed sale of the cable road has been fixed for October 1st next.

According to a report from the island of Catalina, the Hotel Metropole, at Avalon, yesterday closed for the season. The hotel was not profitable this season.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union office for Mrs. Charles E. Williams, Miss Bessie Bell, F. W. Richardson, J. S. Spilgett, Johan Millias and James Fairchild.

At the meeting of the Young Women's Christian Association Sunday afternoon, a formal vote of thanks was given to Z. L. Parmelee, the Crystal Palace and the People's Store, for vases presented for ornamenting the rooms.

Corner Cates held an inquest at Azusa yesterday morning over the remains of a farmer named Charles Biggs, who died suddenly on Sunday. The jury rendered a verdict of death by heart disease. Mr. Biggs was 51 years of age. He left a widow and family.

PERSONALS.

Arthur Scott and family of Fairmount are at the Hollenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Van Vaga of Santa Ana are registered at the Nadeau.

Police Officer John H. Segger, with his son, will leave today for Chicago and other places to be absent for thirty days.

Robert Reckenschuss of Vienna, Austria, and T. Schaafhausen and R. V. Henneberg of Germany are at the Hollenbeck.

Mrs. Thomas C. Knapp has returned from Chicago and the East, and will be found at their new home, No. 1539 West Seventh street.

Dr. Matthew, vice-president of the University of Southern California, has returned from Chicago, and reports a universal interest by World's Fair visitors in everything relating to California.

Ex-Councilman S. P. Rees left yesterday for an extended Eastern trip, during which he will visit the World's Fair, and also take in the principal cities of Canada and the great Northwest. He will probably be absent about three months.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Secretary Platt Notifying Teachers of Their Appointment.

Secretary H. P. Platt of the Board of Education is sending to each of the teachers selected for the public schools for the ensuing year, a copy of the following communication:

"At a meeting of the Board of Education, held on September 2, you were assigned to the — street school. The week beginning September 11 will be devoted to the preliminary organization of the schools, and to a city teachers' institute for the special benefit of teachers in the kindergarten, primary and grammar grades."

"On Monday, September 11, at 9 a.m., you will report to the principal of your school for particular instructions regarding the work to which you have been assigned. At 2 p.m., of the same day you will be expected to be present at the first session of the institute in the assembly-room of the High School building."

It is announced at the office of the Superintendent of Schools that all substitute teachers are requested to call there at 10 o'clock Thursday morning. All principals are requested to meet at room 3 of the High School building at 10:30 o'clock on Saturday morning.

On publishing the list of assignments of teachers for the public schools four names were inadvertently omitted. For the Fremont-avenue school Miss Esther L. Strauss was named as principal and Misses Olivia Day and Rachel H. Jamison were selected as teachers.

Miss Ada E. Skofstead was assigned to the Alpine-street school.

Numerous complaints are made in reference to the action of the Board of Education for the public schools. It is stated that there are several instances in which a teacher, to whom the people and especially their children who attend school, have become accustomed, has been replaced by another who is not well known.

STOLE A RIG.

The Property Recovered, but the Thief Escaped.

On August 23 a horse and open buggy were stolen from a livery stable at Ventura by a tough-looking young man, who pretended that he wished to hire the rig to take a drive in. Neither the horse nor the buggy were returned, and it was found that the man had driven toward this city, presumably with the intention of selling the outfit. Sheriff Cline was notified, and he at once went to work on the case. He succeeded in locating the stolen property, after a short search. The man had gone, however, and then it was learned that he had stolen another horse and had headed in the direction of San Diego. Sheriff Cline is now on his trail, and expects to overtake the man before he reaches the last-named place.

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A PECULIAR CASE.

An Old Man Causes a Scare at Westlake Park.

A peculiar case of supposed attempted suicide occurred at Westlake Park early yesterday morning.

At about 6:30 o'clock Mrs. Hooker, who keeps the Westlake restaurant, was approached by a man of about 55 years of age, who asked that she should give him some brandy or whiskey. She told him that she did not keep either of the articles called for, but could give him some mild drinks.

The man declined to take anything of that sort and started to walk toward the lake. He went as far as the boathouse and stepped within the railing where people go to get into the boats. At this place he was seen to divest himself of his coat and hat, as if he were preparing to jump into the water.

Mrs. Hooker surmised that the man was about to attempt to drown himself, and, thinking that she would be unable to pull him out, ran for assistance, believing that she could not secure help before he would die.

She woke one or two of the people about the lake and within a few minutes quite a number had collected about the place of the supposed drowning.

As soon as Mrs. Hooker got back to the boathouse some of the men asked her where it was that the man had jumped in, in order that they might drag for the body at that place.

The lady looked about her somewhat nervously and then exclaimed, "Why, there he is, right there!" at the same time indicating with her hand a man who stood leaning against a post.

The man was taken in charge by Officer Marden and removed to the police station in the patrol wagon. He gave his name as Laban Roberson, the proprietor of the Roberson House on Temple street. He stated that he was 59 years of age.

It was learned from Mrs. Roberson, the wife of the man, that he had been acting strangely for some time and had on previous occasions declared his intention of ending his life.

It was intimated yesterday that the affair was in some measure brought about by family trouble, although at the receiving hospital Roberson declared that the only reason for wishing to end his life was because of the intolerable pain he was suffering, he having had heart disease for some time past.

Roberson is a well-educated Englishman, considerably past middle life, and apparently in comfortable circumstances. If he has any family troubles he has so far kept them to himself. He has a wife, but no children.

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Now is the time to buy. Finest goods at lowest prices. Come and join the crowd.

Boys' Clothing

Surprise Sale.

—Like all Our Sales, the
—Greatest of its kind
—Ever held.

Realizing the fact that school is about to commence, we have carefully gone over our entire stock and picked out such values that will be of great service, and at the same time have put a price on them that will astonish everybody. The goods that we offer for sale are all new fall styles, and are made by the best manufacturers in the country. We guarantee the wear of every suit we sell.

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- First Surprise.
- C1.00—Boys' All-wool Blue Flannel Suits, the greatest bargain that you ever saw, worth from \$2 to \$3.
- Second Surprise.
- \$1.50—Boys' All-wool Kersey Suits, elegantly made, good assortment of colors, worth \$3.
- Third Surprise.
- \$1.65—Boys' Dark Gray Mixed Suits, in either single or double-breasted, the best value that you ever saw and worth \$3.95.
- Fourth Surprise.
- \$2.35—Boys' All-wool Tweed Suits, in all sizes, a large variety of colors, come in both single and double-breasted, and worth \$4.50.
- Fifth Surprise.
- \$2.95—Boys' Extra Heavy All-wool Suits, for wear they are unequalled; we have them in all sizes and worth \$5.
- Sixth Surprise.
- \$3.00—Boys' Blue, Black or Brown Heavy Jersey Suits; these are extremely handsome and wear splendidly, and are worth \$5.75.
- Seventh Surprise.
- \$3.50—Boys' Cheviot Suits in black, blue and gray, in double-breasted only, as fine a suit as any one would wish to buy, and worth \$6.

Gents' Furnishing Goods.

Closing out our entire line of Men's goods.

- 45c—Boys our Men's Natural Gray Shirts or Drawers, former price 85c.
- 35c—Boys our Men's Striped Balbriggan Shirts or Drawers, former price 65c.
- 25c—Boys our Men's Brown Balbriggan Shirts or Drawers, that were formerly 50c.
- 25c—Boys our handsome Outing Shirts in a large variety of colors, the former price was 50c.
- 49c—Boys a fine quality of White Laid Shirts, former price 75c.
- 25c—Boys our Boys' Merino Shirts or Drawers, broken lines, former price 40c.
- 45c—Boys our men's finest quality Flannel Shirts, former price 85c.
- 25c—Boys the finest Boys' Shirt Waists you ever saw, regular price 50c.
- 45c—Boys a fine grade of Men's Unlaundered White Shirts, former price 75c.
- 25c—Boys our Men's Fine Neckwear which we formerly sold for 50c.
- \$1.15—Boys our Men's Fine Madras Shirts which we have always considered excellent value at \$2.50.

Jacoby Brothers

128, 130, 132 and 134 North Spring St.

Mail Orders Have All the Benefit.

Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!

A STUPENDOUS SACRIFICE OF
..FINE..

SHOES!

OUR GREAT HALF-PRICE ODD AND END SALE!
PRICES TAKE ANOTHER TUMBLE!

"SPECIAL"

For Tuesday and Wednesday Only:

1000 pairs of Ladies' French Dongola Kid Button Shoes, made by the Franklin Shoe Co. of Cincinnati,

Regular selling price—\$3 and \$3.50—drop down to

\$1.49

Jacoby Brothers

Half-price Odd and End Shoe Sale

Men's Shoes.

150 pair Strong & Carroll's noted make of Men's Kangaroo Congress Shoes, hand welt, equal to hand sewed; sizes 5 to 10, in A and B widths. Regular price \$5, reduced price

\$2.50

500 pair Strong & Carroll's famous make of Men's Kangaroo Bais, hand welt, easy as hand sewed; sizes 5 to 10, in A and B widths. Regular price \$5, reduced price

\$2.50

450 pair Strong & Carroll's Men's Calf Congress, hand welt; sizes 5 to 10, in A and B widths. Regular price \$5, reduced price

\$2.50

350 pair Strong & Carroll's Men's Calf Bais, hand welt. Noted for their comfort; sizes 5 to 6 and 9 and 10, all widths. Reduced from \$5 to

\$2.50

50 pair Men's Calf Button Shoes, round and square toes; sizes 5 to 10, all widths. Former price \$3.50 and \$5, reduced from \$4 to

\$1.50

600 pair "None Superior," the celebrated Johnson & Murphy make of Men's Fine Calf Shoes, either congress or bais; sizes 5 to 10, all widths. Famous all world over for their wearing qualities. Reduced from \$5 to

\$4.00

175 pair Burt & Packard's Men's Patent Leather Bais and Congress, in odds and ends only. Reduced from \$5 to

\$3.00

340 pair Rockland Co.'s manufacture of Men's Patent Leather Shoes, congress or lace, in almost all sizes, plain or tipped. Cannot be duplicated in this city for \$5. Reduced from \$5 to

\$3.00

150 pair Norman & Bennett's Men's Russet Bais, in all sizes, B width. Reduced from \$4 to

\$2.00

800 pair Men's Rockland Russet, congress and bais, in all sizes and widths, latest style toes and tips. Reduced from \$4 to

\$2.00

750 pair Men's Kip Creemores or Plow Shoes, in buckle or lace, full double sole. Reduced from \$2 to

\$1.25

450 pair Men's Two Buckle Oil Grain Plow Shoes, in all sizes. Regular price \$1.75, reduced to

\$1.25

250 pair Men's Tan Colored Canvas Shoes, all sizes. Reduced from \$1 to

50c

Misses' and Children's Shoes.

1000 pair Misses' Dongola button, sizes 1 to 5 all widths; former price \$2.50 and \$3. Reduced to \$1.

\$2.50

200 pair Wright & Jones' Misses' Genuine Pebble Goat Button, all sizes and widths. Reduced from \$1 to 60c.

\$1.00

175 pair Wright & Jones' Children's Shoes, genuine pebble goat button, all sizes and widths. Reduced from \$1 to 60c.

\$1.00

150 pair Misses' Genuine Oil Grain Button, spring heel, 1 1/2 to 3. Reduced from \$1.50 to \$1.

\$1.00

180 pair Misses' Genuine Oil Grain Button, spring heel, sizes 3 to 5, only. Reduced from \$1.50 to 80c.

\$1.00

Ladies' Shoes.

500 pair D. Armstrong & Co.'s famous Rochester make Ladies' Button Shoes of the finest French kid, hand turned and hand sewed; sizes 2 to 4, in A, A. H. C. D. and E widths. Reduced from \$5 to

\$2.50

450 pair Utica Shoe Co.'s Ladies' Dongola Button Shoes, in all sizes and widths. Worth \$3, reduced to

\$2.00

400 pair Utica Shoe Co.'s Ladies' Cloth or Kid Top Button Shoes, carefully selected from the best of Dongola. Good value at \$3.50, reduced to

\$2.25

1000 pair of the celebrated E. P. Reed & Co.'s Ladies' Hand Sewed French Dongola button, full assortment of sizes and widths, in five different toes. Reduced from \$4 to

\$3.00

250 pair Norman & Bennett's Ladies' Genuine Russet Goat Bais, all sizes. Reduced from \$4 to

\$2.00

1500 pair Jones Shoe Co.'s Ladies' Dongola Oxfords, with or without patent tips, best Oxfords on earth for the money; all sizes. Reduced from \$1.50 to

\$1.00

450 pair Ladies' Canvas Bais, in tan and black colors, stylish last, tips to match the canvas. Reduced from \$2 to

\$1.00

We are closing out our entire line of Geo. E. Barnard's ladies' fine artistic footwear.

100 pair G. E. Barnard's Ladies' Genuine French Kid Oxfords, neat patent leather trimmings. Reduced from \$5 to

\$3.50

200 pair G. E. Barnard's Ladies' French Kid Oxfords, round and square toes, best finish. Reduced from \$4.50 to

\$3.00

100 pair Geo. E. Barnard's Ladies' French Oxfords, excellent for fit and wear. Reduced from \$4 to

\$3.00

400 pair G. E. Barnard's Undressed Kid Oxfords, in black, gray and tan, with neat French heels and noted for their noble appearance; all sizes and widths. Reduced from \$5 to

\$4.00

250 pair G. E. Barnard's Ladies' Colored Dressed Kid Oxfords, neatly trimmed in goods to match; all sizes. Reduced from \$5 to

\$4.00

210 pair G. E. Barnard's Tan Colored Russet Goat Oxfords, with the very latest English toe; perfect in fit. Reduced from \$3.50 to

\$2.50

Infants' Shoes.

300 pair Infants' Dongola Button, sizes 2 to 5, at 5c. Reduced from 50c.

\$2.50

250 pair Infants' Dongola Button, sizes 2 to 5, with patent leather tips, at 35c. Reduced from 75c.

\$2.50